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EQ Announces Acquisition of Vac-All Service, Inc.
Addition of Taylor, Mich. Company Broadens EQ's Leadership in Industrial Services Sector

Wayne, Mich. - EQ – The Environmental Quality Company today announced that the company has acquired Vac-All Service, Inc. The Taylor, Mich. based company is a leading provider of industrial cleaning, emergency response and environmental remediation services. With the addition of Vac-All, EQ is now the largest Michigan based industrial services company, providing services throughout the Midwest and across the country. Vac-All will be integrated into the EQ Industrial Services network, based in Ypsilanti, Mich.

"Vac-All's industrial services capability is second-to-none," stated David Lusk, President and CEO of EQ. "The addition of Vac-All adds to our leadership position in industrial cleaning, emergency response and environmental remediation services. They bring to EQ forty years of industrial cleaning expertise and a long list of satisfied customers that we are looking forward to continue serving."

Like EQ, Vac-All has a long history of servicing the environmental industry. Their line of industrial services offered include: vacuum, water blasting, and transportation services; sewer/storm drain cleaning and maintenance; road sweeping and dust clean-up; and confined space entry. Vac-All also consists of a 24/7 emergency spill response group, similar

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to that of EQ's, which will add depth and resources to EQ's nationwide emergency response program. Vac-All is known for servicing many different industries including: steel mills, automotive, by-product reclamation, construction trades, engineering consultants, HazMat, manufacturing, mining and utilities.

Terms of the transaction are not disclosed.

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EQ – The Environmental Quality Company is a fully integrated environmental services and waste management organization based in Wayne, Michigan. We implement innovative technology and service solutions that minimize waste volumes, reduce costs and protect the environment. EQ owns ISO and OHSAS certified treatment, disposal and recycling facilities and manages an extensive line of remediation, industrial cleaning and total waste management services throughout North America. Our combination of fixed-based facilities and extensive service capabilities allows EQ to meet the environmental sustainability goals of our customers. For additional information on EQ, please go to www.eqonline.com.

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